xalising of the age of relinquishment of Cfirriuussiqn ior raaie part-time NCC officers to 50 years, extendable t_0 55 y4a:s in special cases. The notification for amending Rule 22 of NCC Rules, 1948 for giving effect to this decision is being finalised and is likely to be issued shortly.

W«rid Bank Repoit on Sardar Sarover Project

4S8. SHRl KAMAL MORARKA: Will t'ne Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether >t is a f-Jct that the World B;:nk has expressed apprehensions about th» Sa:dar Sarover Project in Gujjrat especially with respect to loss of forest coiver and :esettlement of oustees; and

(b) if so, what is Government's re action thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF WATER RESOURCES SHRIMATI KRISHNA SAHI): (a) and (bj) No apprehensions have >bee_n expiess-edi as such, but comments received from thp World Hank on compensatory afforestation programme and resettlement of oustees have been attended to by the Stipe Government and the Narmada Control Authority.

Soviet Offer for Construction of 1000 MW Reactors

J489. SHRI SUBRAMANIAN SWAMY; Wil! the PRIME MINISTER be! pleased to state:

(sO wnether Governmeat have decided to I accept Soviet Union's technology for construction of 1000 MW nuclear reacton;

fh) whether Government have committed formally to the TAEA en the Soviet Union's demand that the only enriched uranium imported from the U.S.S.R. waaM he used in thee reactors and that these would be safeguarded in perpetivity and open to inspection; and

(c) if so, whether many prominent scientists feel that this is a set back ia self-reliance achieved earlier?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECH-NOLOGY AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF OCEAN DEVELOPMENT, ATOMIC ENERGY, ELECTRONICS AND SPACE (.SHRl K. R. NARAYANAN): (a) and (b) The Soviet offer to set up two 1000 MWE nuclear power reacto,- units iri India has been undes- discussion between $fi|_e$ two countries, and an agreement is expected to be signed in the near future.

in anticipation of the finalisation of the i.iter-,cov.romental nrreement, India has concluded an agreement with the IAEA for implementation of safeguards in respect of the nuclear power station which is proposed to be set ur> in India uoder th; **IGA.** The safeguards agreement *intcr-qfia* provides for IAEA safeguards to all nuclear fuel used in the reactors supplied by U.S.S.R. The reactors wiil be under IAEA safeguards till the IAEA, India aud USSR jointly determine that the reactor in question is no "longer usable for nuclear activity relevant from the point of view of safeguards.

(x) The Soviet reactors are only in addition to our own nroOTammc and will not 2dverse!y affect our self-reliance.

Mysterious Death of a patient in Safdarjang Hospital

490**.** SHRI KRISHNA KUMAR BIRLA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

ia) whether it is a fact that a patient admitted in the Emergency ward of Saf- Huntei with hend injuries ki an accident on the 12th Sentembe , 1988, was found de in the hospital park and was found tied to his bed; and

(b) whather Government have made any enquiry into the mysterious death of patient, if so, what is the outcome

thereof stating tne action taken by Government in the matter?

THE MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI MOTI LAL VORA): (a) and O) A dead body was found by the Security staff on the back side of the Orthopaedics OPD around 9.30 A.M. on 14-9-1988. The Police was informed and subsequently the body was handed over for necessary action and enquiry in the matter. The particulars of the dead person tallied with one patient Who was reported absconded from Ward 26 on 13.9.1988.

On enquiring into the incident, it was found that the deceased was Mr. Ram Singh S/o Lallu Ram, R/o A-422, Raghubir Nagar, New Delhi; who was involved in a Road Accident. The patient was transferred from Emergency WaTd on 13-9-1988 around 9.00 A.M. to ward 26. He was suffering from Head Injury and was in a state of Cerebral Irritation. He was confused and dioriented at times, he wag obeying commands, at times he was ignoring the command's. As there was no attendant with him, the patient was tied to the bed by putting bandages around the ankles and wrist to restrain him from moving about in the Ward. Since the patient was restless, it was decided to untie the knots from the bed to make the patient comfortable.

Tn the evening around 3.00 P.M (13.9.1988) when the staff Nurse on duty-went to give anti-biotic injection to the patient Ram Singh, he was found missing from the Ward and when after the search the patient could not be found, the Staff Nurse on duty informed the Police and the Enquiry Office that the patient had absconded from the Ward, (around 5.45 P.M.)

The Nurse and Resident Staff of th; War on duty have been warned to be more vigilant with the Head Injury patients unarcompained by the attendants in the Ward.

Creation of final agency for electronic Sector

491. SHRI RAOOF VALIULLAH: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) what will be the estimated invest ment in the Electronics sector in the Sth Vear Plan and whether Government cons'dering to create; a sepurate fand ing agency for high technology industries in ihe Electronics sector:

(b) what is the need for the new finan-ing agency and whether the new corporation will assist lndian companies to invest outside the country and if so, in what sphere;

(c) what will be the paid up capital of the new corporation and what will be the market borrowing's and Government's contribution;

(d) whether the Bureau of Industrial Costs and Prices has recommended the setting rip of such a financial agency; and

(e) if so, what was its specific recommendations with regard to Electronices Industry?

THE MINISTER OF STATE TN THE MINTSTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND THE MINISTER OF STATE TN THE DEPARTMENT OF OCEAN DEVELOPMENT. ATOMIC ENERGY, ELECTRONICS AND SPACE (SHRI K. R. NARAYANAN): fa) to (c) The likely investment in the Electronics Sector during the Vill Plan is not yet available and is under assessment. As regards the creation of a separate investment corporation, the matter is under consideration of the Government.

(d) No. Sir.

(e) Does not arise